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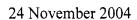
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Dear Sir/Madam

Macquarie Bank Limited (File Number 82-34740) documents for lodgement

Please find relevant documents for Macquarie Bank Limited for lodgement to satisfy the requirements of Rule 12g3-2(b).

Yours sincerely

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Company Secretary

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22 November 2004

Company Announcements Office Australian Stock Exchange Limited



File Number: 82-34740

Dear Sir/Madam.

Macquarie Life Limited and Macquarie Newton Specialist Funds Management Limited, wholly owned subsidiaries of Macquarie Bank Limited ("Macquarie"), have been granted exemption from compliance with section 259C of the Corporations Act allowing them to invest in Macquarie shares.

The exemptions were granted by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission and are subject to certain conditions. One of these conditions is that Macquarie discloses the information below to Australian Stock Exchange Limited on a fortnightly basis.

The aggregated percentage of Macquarie voting shares:

- (a) in respect of which Macquarie Life Limited and Macquarie Newton Specialist Funds Management Limited have the power to control voting or disposal; and
- (b) underlying derivatives held by Macquarie Life Limited and Macquarie Newton Specialist Funds Management Limited,

as at 19th November 2004, was 0.036%.

Yours faithfully,

Dennis Leong Company Secretary

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ASX Release

SALE OF WALES AND THE WEST DISTRIBUTION NETWORK POSITION



19 November 2004 – Macquarie Bank Limited today advised it had sold, and recovered its costs relating to, a 14 per cent entitlement of Wales & the West Gas Distribution Network (DN) in the UK to original consortium co-investors, which included Challenger Financial Services Group Limited.

The Bank's remaining 3 per cent position in DN will be sold following completion of the transaction, which is scheduled for mid-2005.

Macquarie Bank formed part of a consortium which in August 2004 purchased DN for £1.2 billion. It announced it would contribute £67 million (\$A172 million) for its 17 per cent equity position and would sell down its position to investors on, or prior to financial close.

For further information:

Erica Sibree, Investor Relations, Macquarie Bank Limited

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New issue announcement

File Number: 82-34740

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New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 5. Amended 1/7/98, 1/9/99, 1/7/2000, 30/9/2001, 11/3/2002, 1/1/2003.

| MA | MACQUARIE BANK LIMITED | | |
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| abn 46 0 | 08 583 542 | | |
| We (| We (the entity) give ASX the following information. | | |
| | rt 1 - All issues nust complete the relevant sections (attach sh | eets if there is not enough space). | |
| 1 | ⁺ Class of ⁺ securities issued or to be issued | Fully Paid Ordinary Shares | |
| 2 | Number of *securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued | 110,004 | |
| 3 | Principal terms of the *securities (eg, if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if *convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion) | As per other fully paid ordinary shares already quoted. | |

Name of entity

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

| 4 | Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities? | Yes | |
|---|---|---|---------------------------|
| | If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: the date from which they do the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment | | |
| 5 | Issue price or consideration | 10,502 @ \$23.94 each 3,250 @ \$24.54 each 5,000 @ \$25.59 each 1,666 @ \$27.58 each 38,262 @ \$30.51 each 51,324 @ \$34.71 each | 1 1 1 |
| 6 | Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets) | N/A – shares were employee optic | issued on exercise of ons |
| | | | |
| 7 | Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates | 110,004 on 24/11/04 | |
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| | | Number | +Class |
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⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

| 8 | Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable) | 220,444,327 | Fully Paid Ordinary Shares |
|-------------|---|---|---|
| | | 4,000,000 | Macquarie Income Securities (MBLHB) |
| | | 350,000 | Non-cumulative Redeemable Preference Shares |
| | ' | | |
| | | Number | +Class |
| 9 | Number and *class of all *securities not quoted on ASX (<i>including</i> the securities in clause 2 if applicable) | 30,776,040 | Options over Ordinary Shares at various exercise prices |
| | | | |
| 10 | Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests) | Shares rank pari passu w ordinary shares. | ith all existing fully paid |
| Part | 2 - Bonus issue or pro Is security holder approval | | |
| | required? | | |
| 12 | Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable? | | |
| 13 | Ratio in which the *securities will be offered | | |
| 14 | ⁺ Class of ⁺ securities to which the offer relates | | |
| 15 | ⁺ Record date to determine entitlements | | |
| 16 | Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements? | | |
| 17 | Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions | | |
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⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

| 18 | Names of countries in which the entity has *security holders who will not be sent new issue documents | |
|----|---|--|
| | Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with. | |
| | Cross reference: rule 7.7. | |
| 19 | Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations | |

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⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

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| 20 | Names of any underwriters |
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| 21 | Amount of any underwriting fee or |
| | commission |
| 22 | Names of any brokers to the issue |
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| 23 | Fee or commission payable to the |
| | broker to the issue |
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| 24 | Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge |
| | acceptances or renunciations on |
| | behalf of *security holders |
| 25 | TO 1 |
| 25 | If the issue is contingent on *security holders' approval, the date |
| | of the meeting |
| | |
| 26 | Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product |
| | Disclosure Statement will be sent to |
| | persons entitled |
| 27 | If the entity has issued options, and |
| 21 | the terms entitle option holders to |
| | participate on exercise, the date on |
| | which notices will be sent to option holders |
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| 28 | Date rights trading will begin (if |
| | applicable) |
| 29 | Date rights trading will end (if |
| | applicable) |
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| 30 | How do *security holders sell their |
| | entitlements in full through a |
| | broker? |
| 31 | How do *security holders sell part |
| | of their entitlements through a |
| | broker and accept for the balance? |
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| | issue a | announcement |
|---------|-----------------|---|
| 32 | of the | do *security holders dispose eir entitlements (except by sale gh a broker)? |
| | | Quotation of securities complete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities |
| 34 | Type (tick o | of securities one) |
| (a) | v | Securities described in Part 1 |
| (b) | | All other securities Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employed incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities |
| Enti | ties th | at have ticked box 34(a) |
| Addi | tional s | securities forming a new class of securities |
| Tick to | | e you are providing the information or |
| 35 | | If the *securities are *equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders |
| 36 | | If the *securities are *equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional *securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over |
| 37 | | A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities |
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| Entities that have ticked box 34(b) | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---|--------|---------------------------------------|
| 38 | Number of securities for which †quotation is sought | | |
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| 39 | Class of *securities for which quotation is sought | | |
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| 40 | Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities? | | |
| | If the additional securities do not | | |
| | rank equally, please state: • the date from which they do | | |
| | • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, | | |
| | (in the case of a trust, | | |
| | distribution) or interest paymentthe extent to which they do not | | |
| | rank equally, other than in | | |
| | relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment | | |
| 41 | Reason for request for quotation | | |
| 71 | now | | |
| | Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period | | |
| • | (if issued upon conversion of | | |
| | another security, clearly identify that other security) | | |
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| | | Number | ⁺ Class |
| 42 | Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 38) | | |
| | occurred in vivado 50) | | |
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Quotation agreement

- [†]Quotation of our additional *securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the *securities on any conditions it decides.
- We warrant the following to ASX.
 - The issue of the *securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
 - There is no reason why those *securities should not be granted *quotation.
 - An offer of the *securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any *securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any *securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- We warrant that if confirmation is required under section 1017F of the Corporations Act in relation to the *securities to be quoted, it has been provided at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the *securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.

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⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

New issue announcement

We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.

We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before *quotation of the *securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

Sign here: Date: 24 November 2004

(Assistant Company Secretary)

Print name: Angela Blair

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New issue announcement, application for quotation of additional securities and agreement

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

Introduced 1/7/96. Origin: Appendix 5. Amended 1/7/98, 1/9/99, 1/7/2000, 30/9/2001, 11/3/2002, 1/1/2003.

| Nam | Name of entity | | |
|------|--|---|--|
| MA | CQUARIE BANK LIMITED | | |
| ABN | | | |
| 46 0 | 08 583 542 | | |
| We | (the entity) give ASX the following i | nformation. | |
| | rt 1 - All issues nust complete the relevant sections (attach sh | eets if there is not enough space). | |
| 1 | *Class of *securities issued or to be issued | Fully Paid Ordinary Shares | |
| 2 | Number of ⁺ securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued | 5,733 | |
| 3 | Principal terms of the *securities (eg, if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if *convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion) | As per other fully paid ordinary shares already quoted. | |

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

| 4 | Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities? | Yes |
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| | If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: the date from which they do the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment | |
| 5 | Issue price or consideration | 1,668 @ \$27.56 each |
| | • | 733 @ \$30.51 each |
| | | 3,332 @ \$34.71 each |
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| 6 | Purpose of the issue (If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets) | N/A – shares were issued on exercise of employee options |
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| 7 | Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates | 5,733 on 22/11/04 |
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| | | Number +Class |
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⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

| 8 | Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable) | 219,766,727 | Fully Paid Ordinary Shares |
|----|---|---|---|
| | | 4,000,000 | Macquarie Income Securities (MBLHB) |
| | | 350,000 | Non-cumulative Redeemable Preference Shares |
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| | | Number | +Class |
| 9 | Number and *class of all *securities not quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable) | 31,453,640 | Options over Ordinary Shares at various exercise prices |
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| 10 | Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests) | Shares rank pari passu w ordinary shares. | rith all existing fully paid |
| | 2 - Bonus issue or pro | | ······ |
| 11 | Is security holder approval required? | | |
| 12 | Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable? | | |
| 13 | Ratio in which the *securities will be offered | | |
| 14 | ⁺ Class of ⁺ securities to which the offer relates | | |
| 15 | ⁺ Record date to determine entitlements | | |
| 16 | Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements? | | |
| 17 | Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions | | |
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| 18 | Names of countries in which the entity has *security holders who will not be sent new issue documents Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with. | |
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| | Cross reference: rule 7.7. | |
| 19 | Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations | |

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| Names of any underwriters | |
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| Fee or commission payable to the | |
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| behalf of *security holders | |
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| form and prospectus or Product | |
| Disclosure Statement will be sent to | |
| persons entitled | |
| If the entity has issued options, and | |
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| which notices will be sent to option | |
| holders | |
| Date rights trading will begin (if | |
| applicable) | |
| Date rights trading will end (if | |
| applicable) | |
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| How do *security holders sell their | |
| entitlements in full through a broker? | |
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| How do *security holders sell part | |
| broker and accept for the balance? | |
| | Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of *security holders If the issue is contingent on *security holders' approval, the date of the meeting Date entitlement and acceptance form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders Date rights trading will begin (if applicable) Date rights trading will end (if applicable) How do *security holders sell their entitlements in full through a broker? How do *security holders sell part of their entitlements through a |

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| viidi S | securities forming a new class of securities |
| indicate ets | you are providing the information or |
| | If the *securities are *equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders |
| | If the *securities are *equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional *securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over |
| | A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities |
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| Entit | ies that have ticked box 34(b) | | |
|-------|---|--------|--------|
| 38 | Number of securities for which †quotation is sought | | |
| 39 | Class of *securities for which quotation is sought | | |
| 40 | Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities? | | |
| | If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: the date from which they do the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment | | |
| 41 | Reason for request for quotation now Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period | | |
| | (if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security) | | |
| | | | |
| 42 | Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 38) | Number | +Class |
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⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Quotation agreement

- [†]Quotation of our additional [†]securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the [†]securities on any conditions it decides.
- We warrant the following to ASX.
 - The issue of the *securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
 - There is no reason why those *securities should not be granted *quotation.
 - An offer of the *securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any *securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any *securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- We warrant that if confirmation is required under section 1017F of the Corporations Act in relation to the *securities to be quoted, it has been provided at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the

 +securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the
 time that we request that the +securities be quoted.

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- We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before †quotation of the †securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

| Sign here: | | Date: | 22 | November | 2004 |
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(Company Secretary)

Print name: Dennis Leong

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| Name | e of entity | |
|------|--|---|
| MA | CQUARIE BANK LIMITED | |
| ABN | 08 583 542 | |
| 46 0 | 08 383 342 | |
| We | (the entity) give ASX the following is | nformation. |
| | rt 1 - All issues nust complete the relevant sections (attach sh | eets if there is not enough space). |
| 1 | ⁺ Class of ⁺ securities issued or to be issued | Fully Paid Ordinary Shares |
| 2 | Number of ⁺ securities issued or to be issued (if known) or maximum number which may be issued | 567,596 |
| 3 | Principal terms of the *securities (eg, if options, exercise price and expiry date; if partly paid *securities, the amount outstanding and due dates for payment; if *convertible securities, the conversion price and dates for conversion) | As per other fully paid ordinary shares already quoted. |

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities?

If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state:

- the date from which they do
- the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment
- the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment

5 Issue price or consideration

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1,668 @ \$18.51 each 1,666 @ \$20.44 each 5,000 @ \$23.63 each 87,177 @ \$23.94 each 1,666 @ \$25.04 each

1,668 @ \$25.85 each

11,666 @ \$26.45 each

5,834 @ \$26.57 each

3,336 @ \$27.71 each 3,332 @ \$27.93 each

3,332 @ \$28.00 each

165,364 @ \$30.51 each

1,600 @ \$31.49 each 1,666 @ \$33.12 each

2,242 @ \$33.43 each

1,666 @ \$33.45 each

265,381 @ \$34.71 each 3,332 @ \$35.71 each

6 Purpose of the issue
(If issued as consideration for the acquisition of assets, clearly identify those assets)

N/A – shares were issued on exercise of employee options

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

| 7 | Dates of entering *securities into uncertificated holdings or despatch of certificates | 567,596 on 23/11/04 | |
|------|---|--|---|
| | ' | | |
| | | Number | +Class |
| 8 | Number and ⁺ class of all ⁺ securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable) | 220,334,323 | Fully Paid Ordinary Shares |
| | | 4,000,000 | Macquarie Income Securities (MBLHB) |
| | | 350,000 | Non-cumulative Redeemable Preference Shares |
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| | | Number | +Class |
| 9 | Number and *class of all *securities not quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 2 if applicable) | 30,886,044 | Options over Ordinary Shares at various exercise prices |
| | İ | | |
| 10 | Dividend policy (in the case of a trust, distribution policy) on the increased capital (interests) | Shares rank pari passu wordinary shares. | vith all existing fully paid |
| Part | 2 - Bonus issue or pro | rata issue | |
| 11 | Is security holder approval required? | | |
| | | | |
| 12 | Is the issue renounceable or non-renounceable? | | |
| 13 | Ratio in which the *securities will be offered | | |
| 1.4 | +Class of the amiliar as subject at | | |
| 14 | *Class of *securities to which the offer relates | | |
| 15 | *Record date to determine entitlements | | |
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New issue announcement

| 16 | Will holdings on different registers (or subregisters) be aggregated for calculating entitlements? | |
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| 17 | Policy for deciding entitlements in relation to fractions | |
| 18 | Names of countries in which the entity has *security holders who will not be sent new issue documents | |
| | Note: Security holders must be told how their entitlements are to be dealt with. | |
| | Cross reference: rule 7.7. | |
| 19 | Closing date for receipt of acceptances or renunciations | |

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| 21 Amount of any underwriting fee or commission 22 Names of any brokers to the issue 23 Fee or commission payable to the broker to the issue 24 Amount of any handling fee payable to brokers who lodge acceptances or renunciations on behalf of *security holders* 25 If the issue is contingent on *security holders' approval, the date of the meeting 26 Date entitlement and acceptance | |
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| form and prospectus or Product Disclosure Statement will be sent to persons entitled | |
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| 27 If the entity has issued options, and the terms entitle option holders to participate on exercise, the date on which notices will be sent to option holders | |
| <u></u> | |
| Date rights trading will begin (if applicable) | |
| | |
| 29 Date rights trading will end (if applicable) | |
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| How do *security holders sell their entitlements in full through a broker? | |
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| How do *security holders sell part of their entitlements through a broker and accept for the balance? | |

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| New | issue a | nnouncement |
|-------------------|-----------------|---|
| 32 | | do ⁺ security holders dispose |
| | | ir entitlements (except by sale habroker)? |
| 33 | *Desp | atch date |
| Par | t 3 - (| Quotation of securities |
| You nee | ed only co | omplete this section if you are applying for quotation of securities |
| 34 | Type (tick o | of securities one) |
| (a) | V | Securities described in Part 1 |
| (b) | | All other securities |
| | | Example: restricted securities at the end of the escrowed period, partly paid securities that become fully paid, employee incentive share securities when restriction ends, securities issued on expiry or conversion of convertible securities |
| Entit | ties th | at have ticked box 34(a) |
| Addi | tional s | securities forming a new class of securities |
| Tick to docume | | you are providing the information or |
| 35 | | If the *securities are *equity securities, the names of the 20 largest holders of the additional *securities, and the number and percentage of additional *securities held by those holders |
| 36 | | If the *securities are *equity securities, a distribution schedule of the additional *securities setting out the number of holders in the categories 1 - 1,000 1,001 - 5,000 5,001 - 10,000 10,001 - 100,000 100,001 and over |
| 37 | | A copy of any trust deed for the additional *securities . |

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| Entiti | ies that have ticked box 34(b) |) | |
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| 38 | Number of securities for which †quotation is sought | | |
| 39 | Class of *securities for which quotation is sought | | |
| 40 | Do the *securities rank equally in all respects from the date of allotment with an existing *class of quoted *securities? | | |
| | If the additional securities do not rank equally, please state: • the date from which they do • the extent to which they participate for the next dividend, (in the case of a trust, distribution) or interest payment • the extent to which they do not rank equally, other than in relation to the next dividend, distribution or interest payment | | · |
| 41 | Reason for request for quotation now Example: In the case of restricted securities, end of restriction period | | |
| | (if issued upon conversion of another security, clearly identify that other security) | | |
| 42 | Number and *class of all *securities quoted on ASX (including the securities in clause 38) | Number | †Class |
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Quotation agreement

- [†]Quotation of our additional [†]securities is in ASX's absolute discretion. ASX may quote the [†]securities on any conditions it decides.
- We warrant the following to ASX.
 - The issue of the *securities to be quoted complies with the law and is not for an illegal purpose.
 - There is no reason why those *securities should not be granted *quotation.
 - An offer of the *securities for sale within 12 months after their issue will not require disclosure under section 707(3) or section 1012C(6) of the Corporations Act.

Note: An entity may need to obtain appropriate warranties from subscribers for the securities in order to be able to give this warranty

- Section 724 or section 1016E of the Corporations Act does not apply to any applications received by us in relation to any *securities to be quoted and that no-one has any right to return any *securities to be quoted under sections 737, 738 or 1016F of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- We warrant that if confirmation is required under section 1017F of the Corporations Act in relation to the *securities to be quoted, it has been provided at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.
- If we are a trust, we warrant that no person has the right to return the *securities to be quoted under section 1019B of the Corporations Act at the time that we request that the *securities be quoted.

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- We will indemnify ASX to the fullest extent permitted by law in respect of any claim, action or expense arising from or connected with any breach of the warranties in this agreement.
- We give ASX the information and documents required by this form. If any information or document not available now, will give it to ASX before *quotation of the *securities begins. We acknowledge that ASX is relying on the information and documents. We warrant that they are (will be) true and complete.

| Sign here: | . Date: 23 November 200 |
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(Assistant Company Secretary)

Print name: Angela Blair

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